

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

SJR 493

January 23, 2014

SUMMARY OF BILL: Makes application to the United States Congress to call a constitutional convention for the sole purpose of proposing a federal balanced budget amendment. Specifies this application shall be rescinded and void if at least two-thirds of state legislatures have not made applications for similar relief pursuant to Article V by January, 1, 2020. Copies of this resolution will be sent to the Honorable Joseph R. Biden, Jr., Vice President of the United States and President of the United States Senate; the Honorable John Boehner, Speaker of the House of Representatives; to each Tennessee member of the United States Senate and House of Representatives; and to the Archivist of the United States. Copies will also be sent to the presiding officers of the other state legislative bodies in the United States with a request to join Tennessee in such application.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumption:

- Any increase in state expenditures to prepare and distribute copies of this resolution to the appropriate individuals is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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